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### TYPHOID FEVER.

Four Doctors Give Opinions Concerning Its Presence in the City.

In view of the increased and increasing number of typhoid fever cases, the belief is entertained by many that the disease has taken the character of a mild epidemic and is gradually spreading over the city. That there is danger from this source will be questioned by but few; that it will become sweeping in character is not probable and yet it is well to guard against its spread by every preventive in reach. Grand river water at this season, and all seasons, for that matter, is charged with decayed and non-assimilated animal matter excreta. It is rank and vile enough to breed pestilence at any time. Therefore, before being used for drinking or culinary purposes it should be boiled. Boiling will destroy disease germs and cook the animal substances held in it beyond injury to the stomach. The following named physicians express the opinions submitted:

Dr. C. H. Johnson—I think typhoid fever has taken the form of an epidemic. There were two cases reported in January, nine in February and six in March. Of the sixty-five reported in March ten proved fatal. It is now on the decrease. The disease is undoubtedly produced by poisoned water. Our city water, as is well known, comes from Grand river, which passes through Jackson, Iowa, the Soldiers Home and numerous small towns. It is true that a large amount of the impurities become oxidized before reaching here, but the disease germs will remain. A great many people seek to escape this trouble by drinking mineral water when perhaps the glass used by them has been washed with city water and some of the germs are retained. There are cases on record where washwomen have contracted the disease by inhaling the germs from the water used. It is really an autumnal disease.

Dr. G. K. Johnson—I think we have had an epidemic of typhoid fever, but it is subsiding now. What caused it is only speculative as yet. It has been confined to no particular locality in the city, nor to families using certain water. Those using city water and those using well water have been alike attacked with it so far as I have observed. The Academy of Medicine will soon gather some statistics concerning the epidemic that will perhaps prove useful in giving information on this subject.

Dr. DeCamp—I have done mostly office work and have not had a very good opportunity to notice whether the prevalence of typhoid fever has reached a point that could properly be termed epidemic or not. We have had rather more cases of typhoid fever reported during the last two months than usual at this time of year. As far as I can learn I would not pronounce the situation to be an epidemic.

Dr. H. W. Cathin—I don't think it can really be said that we have an epidemic of typhoid fever. It is not confined to any particular locality. There have been a good many cases reported as typhoid fever, but I have not seen many that assumed the regular typhoid form. The majority of these cases are typho-malarial and remittent fevers. This form of disease is now on the decrease, and I apprehend no further difficulty.

### FUNERAL OF GEORGE FLOTO.

A Large Congregation Gathered to Hear the Services.

The funeral of George Floto, the suicide who jumped into Grand river, was held yesterday afternoon at the Second Baptist church on the corner of California and Gold streets. The services were performed by the Rev. R. J. Van Kirk. The building was filled to its utmost capacity with friends and neighbors of the deceased. Owing to the peculiar and sad circumstances surrounding the unfortunate man's death, considerable notoriety had been given to the case. The remains were encased in a sealed casket and were not exposed to view.

The two Indians who found the body near Jensen, were in the city Saturday, and after it had been identified beyond a doubt, Coroner Penwarden paid them the \$50 reward that had been offered for its recovery.

### GOLDEN EAGLE KNIGHTS.

They Will Hold Their Annual Convention Here This Week.

The annual session of the grand castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle will be held in this city Tuesday and Wednesday. The session will be held in Malta Castle hall, on the corner of Pearl and Canal streets. Wednesday evening the visiting delegates will be tendered a banquet by the local Knights at the Bridge Street house. The delegates will consist of the past chiefs of the order, of which there are about forty in this city. It is expected that 150 delegates will be in attendance.

### Lively Runaway.

Edgar Monroe of No. 30 Elm street and a friend were driving on South Division street yesterday afternoon when the horse became frightened and ran away. The buggy collided with a telephone pole, when the horse became detached from the vehicle and continued down the street with bits of harness flying in the air. The horse

was caught before further damage was done. The occupants were slightly bruised, and the rig was damaged about \$10.

### Glee and Banjo Clubs.

The University of Michigan Glee and Banjo clubs will give a concert at Hartman's hall, on Monday, April 12, 1892. The program will be:

- PART I.
1. Normandy March. Armstrong
  2. Yellow and Blue. Carm U. of M.
  3. Phantom Band. Thayer
  4. Reverses. Solo, Quartet and club. Storck
- PART II.
1. El Palmar Waltzes. Schmidt
  2. Hunters' Chorus. De Koven
  3. Klismet. Mr. Joy and club. E. H. Smith, M. Sam Park, M.
  4. Dearest Awake. Mr. Walter and club.
  5. Mephisto's Revels. Smith
- PART III.
1. Bella Masurka. Edelstein
  2. Ritz Juveniles. Carm U. of M.
  3. Odalisques' Hall. Mr. Motreary and club
  4. Chestnut Hill. Carm U. of M.
  5. Minstrel's Patrol. Turner

### Harry Bedell Married Again.

Chicago Herald, April 8.—H. Bedell, formerly of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Miss Maudella Clark of Chicago, were married yesterday morning by the Rev. Dr. Frank Bristol. The bridal couple were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Seghers, at their residence, where a wedding breakfast was served to a few intimate friends. The bride's costume was of tan-colored silk, with diamond ornaments. At the conclusion of the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Bedell left for the south.

### Death of Mrs. Nancy Smith.

Mrs. Nancy T. Smith died yesterday morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Cooper, No. 288 Thomas street. Mrs. Smith was 87 years old and had lived in the city about ten years. She had been afflicted with paralysis for a number of years. Brief funeral services will be held at the residence this afternoon at 4 o'clock, after which the remains will be taken to Red Creek, N. Y., her former home, for burial.

### Dangerous Dynamite.

Residents about the corner of West Leonard and Scribner streets are making a slight kick over the carelessness of workmen excavating Scribner street for the laying of water mains. Several feet below the surface a thick layer of rock is struck and to get through it blasting with dynamite was resorted to. Several times last week explosions occurred, throwing pieces of rock high in the air and from fifty to one hundred yards away.

### County Medical Society.

The Kent County Medical society will hold a meeting Friday evening, at which the election of officers for the ensuing year will be completed and some interesting papers read. At a recent meeting the following partial list of officers were elected: President, Dr. R. E. Miller; vice president, Dr. W. H. DeCamp; secretary pro tem., Dr. A. Hazlewood.

### Interfered With Hurley.

Last evening Lieutenant Hurley was trying the entrance to Roe & Piton's saloon on Canal street, when Frank Faulkner interfered with the officer's purpose and attempted to push him aside from the door. Faulkner was arrested and taken to police headquarters. He will be arraigned today on a charge of obstructing an officer.

### Independent Foresters.

Mentum council, No. 2, degree of Pocahontas, a branch of the Independent Order of Foresters, has elected officers as follows: Pocahontas, Mrs. Van Buren; Winona, Mrs. Vedstead; Powhatan, A. Van der Neulen; keeper of records, Mrs. Lou E. Johnson; assistant, Mrs. Flora Austin; keeper of wampum, Mrs. Dostaler.

### Purchased a Lot.

Grace church parish has purchased a lot on South Prospect street, and the rectory will be moved there this summer. A meeting will be held next Monday evening to ratify the plans for the new church building, and to give the vestry power to raise the money for its construction.

### Good Friday.

The solemn day of the year, Good Friday, will be observed with great solemnity at St. Mark's church by special services at 8, 10 and 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. "The Crucifixion," a magnificent musical rendering of "The Passion" will be given at 8 p. m. Free admission but a collection will be taken.

### Baptist Chapel Musical.

A musical entertainment will be given in the sixth ward Baptist chapel Tuesday evening. A program containing fourteen numbers of vocal and instrumental selections has been prepared for the occasion.

### Holy Week Services.

St. Mark's church will have services every day throughout this week at 8 and 10 a. m.; 4 and 10 p. m. Holy communion will be Thursday evening at 8 p. m. Holy baptism on Saturday at 2 p. m.

### Flower Mission Work.

At the meeting of the East street W. C. T. U., to be held Tuesday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. David Forbes, No. 30 Julia street, Mrs. Dr. Fuller will read a paper on "Flower Mission Work."

### Easter Day Services.

St. Mark's church announces services for 7, 9 and 10:30 a. m.; 3:30 and 7:30 p. m.

### City in Paragraphs.

All day yesterday spring zephyrs mingling with a few samples of wintry blasts were circling around the bloated carcass of a horse that has been lying in

the rear of No. 21 Plainfield avenue for several days.

Dr. Eugene Boise is in Chicago receiving treatment for blood poisoning contracted some time ago while performing a surgical operation. He is reported to be recovering satisfactorily.

Secretary C. S. Ward of the Y. M. C. A. was at Muskegon yesterday attending the young men's meeting. Mr. Ward was one of the speakers who addressed that body.

James Clark and Joseph Heaphy desecrated the Sabbath yesterday afternoon by getting drunk and were arrested and locked up at police headquarters.

Conductors on the South Lafayette street car line had to hustle for coal to use in the little car stoves yesterday. The company's coal-bin gave out Saturday.

The case of larceny brought against John Kroodsmas and David DeVries on the complaint of John Van Dyk of Muskegon, has been settled out of court.

The regular meeting of the board of the Woman's home and hospital will be held at the home this afternoon at 2:30. Important business will be transacted.

Miss Mamie Emmons, for the last two weeks the guest of Mrs. J. D. E. Chase, No. 683 South Lafayette street, has returned to her home in St. Johns.

The Rev. E. Wigle will read a paper on "Prevailing Prayer" at the Pastors' conference this afternoon. The association will elect officers.

Justice Brown tied the matrimonial knot for Martin Tramp and Miss Carrie Elwell Saturday evening.

Miss Pa's kindergarten, at No. 1 Hodgson place, will begin for the summer term this morning.

The board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will hold their regular monthly meeting this evening.

The directors of the board of trade will hold their regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening.

The city schools will open for the summer term, the last one of the year, this morning.

Dr. Edie has moved from No. 358 East Fulton street to the Warwick.

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The display of fine pianos and organs at Friedrich's, 30 and 38 Canal street, this week is one of the most complete and elaborate ever offered the musical public of Grand Rapids. All the new styles of finest in standard makes and forms are on sale. The instruments are all of the highest grade and their value sustained by the high character of Mr. Friedrich.

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The Adams & Company Millinery opening and Easter sale proved to be a phenomenal success. The display of hats was the largest and finest shown in the retail lines this year and comprised many artistic French novelties and dress hats of surpassing beauty and elegance. Very large sales are being realized, the magnificent assortment is being fully kept up and many new things are arriving daily.

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